

Employment Opportunity

California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region

Student Assistant – Technical Support

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region, is a state agency responsible for administering various federal and state water quality and pollution control programs. A part time student position is currently available in the Tank Site Mitigation and Cleanup Unit of the Regional Board.

DUTIES: The primary duties of this position deal with implementation of applicable programs and regulations to protect and clean up state water resources affected or threatened by discharges of petroleum and hazardous substances released from storage tanks. Specific job duties include conducting site investigations; review reports of waste discharge, groundwater monitoring proposals and hydrogeologic and engineering reports of site investigations and proposals for site cleanup, monitoring and closure; preparation of waste discharge requirements; monitoring report review; preparation of enforcement actions; and key entry of data into databases. Out of town travel (expenses paid or reimbursed) may be necessary. Students must be available to work approximately 20 hours per week.

QUALIFICATIONS: Students must be enrolled at a public or private college or university with undergraduate or graduate standing for a degree in geology, engineering geology, civil, chemical, or environmental engineering. Undergraduate Student Assistants must carry a minimum of six semester or eight quarter units. Graduate Student Assistants must maintain a minimum of three semester or four quarter units. Graduate Student Assistants completing a thesis or dissertation and taking no classes may work for no more than one semester or two quarters.

Students must have good communication skills and possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgment, and ability to work independently and cooperatively with others. Students must be proficient in the Microsoft Office suite of software and database management. Students must have a good driving record and a valid California Drivers License.

COMPENSATION: Salaries are set based on the number of completed college units. Transcripts will be reviewed to determine the rate of pay.

SALARY: \$10.28 - \$15.38 per hour for students in engineering, engineering geology.

\$7.86 - \$14.68 per hour for students in geology and earth sciences.

FINAL FILING DATE: Until Filled

HOURS OF WORK: During the school year, students may work up to 20 hours per week. Flexible hours are available to accommodate class schedules. During school breaks students may work up to 40 hours per week. Term of service is generally one year, but may be extended.

CONTACTS: Interested persons should submit resumes to the address below or by email. Please write Tanks Unit on your cover letter or resume. You may contact the person specified below for more specific information.

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